

## Message Text

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ACTION DLOS-09

INFO OCT-01 EA-12 IO-14 ISO-00 ACDA-12 AGRE-00 AID-05  
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R 210945Z MAR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1954  
INFO USMISSION GENEVA

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PLOS  
SUBJ: AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S PRESS CONFERENCE ON LOS

REF: STATE 070035

1. EMBASSY PASSED TEXT OF AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S PRES CONFER-  
ENCE ON LAW OF THE SEA TO PRACHIT ROCHANAPHRAUK, CHIEF, LEGAL  
DIVISION, TREATY AND LEGAL DEPARTMENT, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.  
PRACHIT IS MFA OFFICIAL CURRENTLY FOLLOWING LOS DEVELOPMENTS.  
AS PRACHIT WAS PREPARING TO DEPART FOR GENEVA ON FOLLOWING MORNING,  
HE UNFORTUNATELY DID NOT HAVE ADEQUATE TIME TO STUDY LATEST  
USG POSTION AND PROVIDE EMBASSY WITH RTG REACTION.

2. MFA ADVISES THAT IN ADDITION TO PRACHIT, RTG DELEGATION TO  
FORTHCOMING LOS CONFERENCE WILL INCLUDE:

CHIEF OF DELEGATION:

M.L. PHIRAPHONG KASEMSI

DIRECTOR-GENERAL

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION DEPARTMENT

MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

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DIRECTOR-GENERAL  
MFA TREATY AND LEGAL DEPARTMENT

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## Message Attributes

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